

House Resolution No. 2553

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Bob Cumley, an esteemed resident of Springfield, Missouri, who is stepping down as Manager of the City of Springfield; and

Whereas, Bob Cumley has been a stellar employee of the City of Springfield for the past thirty-five years, during which time he has served in the positions of City Manager, Assistant City Manager for twenty-two years, and Director of Personnel and Chief Spokesperson for the City labor negotiations from 1973 to 1983; and

Whereas, a college instructor since 1977 who has taught at Missouri State University, Drury University, Southwest Baptist University, and Webster University, Bob Cumley holds a Master's degree in Business Administration and Credentialed Manager Certification from the International City Management Association; and

Whereas, elected to five four-year terms to the Missouri Local Government Employees Retirement System Board of Trustees, Bob Cumley has compiled an enviable list of service to the International City Management Association, Missouri City Manager's Association, Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce, Southeast Rotary, First and Calvary Presbyterian Church, and the Emergency 911 Advisory Board; and

Whereas, Bob Cumley will be honored for his contributions to the City of Springfield during a special presentation to be held May 29, 2008, at the Busch Building Lobby:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Bob Cumley for his thirty-five years of unparalleled service to the City of Springfield; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Bob Cumley.

Offered by _____
Representative Bob Dixon
District No. 140

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2553, adopted May 5, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker